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Date: **October 3, 2005**

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. GK-ZEI-3195/500343.20200

Applicant(s): Matthias GONSCHOR, et al.

Application No.: 10/613,394

Examiner: J. L. Pritchett

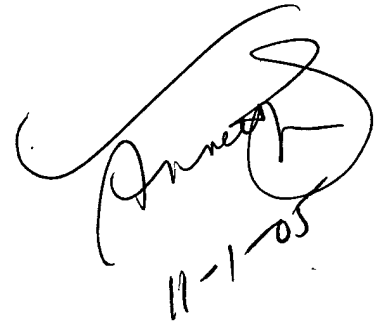
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For: DEVICE FOR COUPLING LIGHT INTO A MICROSCOPE

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated May 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A two-month extension of time along with the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.